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LOVE'S APPEAL.

BY M. V. D.

I dread the time the wisest say
Must come yet soon or late,
When love will lose its tender way,
Leave us to fight with fate;
When you shall smile at madness sweet,
And I may sneer the same,
When both shall care no more to meet,
Or hear each other's name.

Ah! strange that you and I could live
On earth and cease to share,
The soul's emotion, never give
A thought to part or care.
When summer brought us bliss so deep,
So happy each day would weep
To death and night and all.

I give my faith, unthought by gold,
I ask but one return;
Never give me a heart grown cold,
For truly I should learn
To read your face as printed page,
Its meaning clearly gain;
Then heed not words of wisest age,
But endless love obtain.

Rural Retreat, Near Church Hill.

O, the dust, the outrageous dust!
Settling alike on evil and just,
Making one mould, making one mass,
As it hurries by on every breeze,
Filling our mouths and filling our eyes;
Rising up in a cloud to the skies,
And scarcely a drop of rain comes down
To gladden either country or town.

For a balmy pleasant shower,
To steadily fall for just one hour,
To breathe a breath that is pure and free,
And to be able from the dust to flee,
It is in the house—it is in the street,
Over our heads and under our feet,
And I am 'frail if I don't soon rain
We'll go to that dust from whence we came.

There now, after that which will say
That the muse does not hover around
Church Hill, and if he cannot be
accused of soaring to 'Imperial heights',
why he can surely be found crouched
and d the dust of to-day. Where it
will not require the vaulting speed of
many, if any, of the mental acrobats
who read this paper, to find his
exact locality; so for the present we
leave him to the news in general.

Barn burning is in order in this
vicinity. Last Thursday evening be-
tween 7 and 8 o'clock, Mr. Long, a
farmer near this neighborhood, dis-
covered his barn on fire, but not in
time to save it. Unfortunately it was
full of tobacco and was a total loss.

The cause of education is not being
neglected in and around this commu-
nity; within a radius of less than a
dozen miles we have quite an array
of teaching talent. Miss Matie Phil-
lips, of Virginia, well known in this
country, is presiding over the Church
Hill Academy, about one mile from
the village. Miss Agnes Dryden, an
accomplished lady, who for several
sessions was associated with the Pub-
lic Schools of your city, has a school
at Mrs. T. B. Owen's. Miss Mary
Wharton, of Cadiz, has a school at
Mrs. J. W. White's, in or near the same
neighborhood. Miss Janie Massie, a
bright and interesting young lady,
from Dawson Springs, entered Edge-
wood Academy last Monday.

Mr. W. E. Adcock who has been
for some weeks past at the Rock
Bridge Alum Springs, returned to his
home last Sunday evening. His
many friends will be glad to know
that he was thereby much improved.

Mr. Jesse Evans, a popular young
merchant of Church Hill, has just re-
turned from Louisville with a full
stock of fall and winter goods.

The friends and admirers of Elder
J. T. Hawkins, of Upper Kentucky,
will be pleased to know that he will
commence a series of meetings at
Liberty Church first Sunday in Octo-
ber. He is too well known to need
either comment or encomium; where-
ever he goes he is gladly welcomed.

Your correspondent returns thanks
to Camille for his kindly words of
welcome and feels amply repaid if
his random efforts have afforded a
brief enjoyment to even one, and re-
grets that dearth of items makes her
communications of little interest.

OLIVE BRANCH.

FROM NEW MEXICO.

Special Correspondence.

LAS VEGAS, N. M., Sept. 17, 1883.

The town of Las Vegas stands
upon a land grant made by the Mex-
ican government in 1835 to Juan de
Dios and others, the area of which is
496,457 acres. The city really con-
sists of two towns, situated on the
opposite banks of the Gallinas River
in a plateau and surrounded by
mountains. The old town, or original
Las Vegas, is half a mile from the
other, and is comprised chiefly of
adobe houses built around an open
square or plaza in true Spanish or
Mexican style. The new town is of
more modern appearance and con-
struction, being composed of frame
houses built since the advent of the
railroad. It is likely also to be the
most important of the two in a few
years. The old town lies upon a
broad slope to the south and east, and
its adobe, or unburned brick houses,
mostly one story high, have rather a
squat, uninviting appearance, though
more comfortable inside than one
would suppose, as the thick dry
walls guarantee a cool atmosphere in
hot weather, with equal protection
against cold in winter. The streets
are narrow, irregular and untidy, and
altogether the place presents a sleepy,
thrifty and despoiled outlook.

Still in a business point of view Las
Vegas is one of the most prosperous
towns in New Mexico. Some of the
largest mercantile establishments in
the Territory are located here, and
their trade extends far to the south
and south-east. Some mining inter-
ests have been developed in the lo-

calities are not extensive. The country around Las Vegas is
the typical New Mexico—the dry,
and looking plains we have seen all
the way from Western Kansas and
South Colorado. North of the Me-
silla Valley, stretching away as far as
the eye can reach, is the dreary un-
broken monotony of gramma grass,
which at this season of the year and
in fact, at any time after the first of
July, is of a grey color and looks as
if a simoon or a prairie fire had passed
over it leaving but a bare stubble to
mark where luxuriant grass had been.
But this grass though short, is
succulent, and

SOUTH KENTUCKIAN

CHAS. M. MEACHAM, Editor
HOPKINSVILLE, OCT. 2, 1883.

Congressman-elect Mayo, of Virginia, a few days ago, killed himself on account of political troubles.

The Massachusetts Greenbackers have endorsed Gov. Butler for re-election and will have no candidate of their own.

A fitting monument to President Zachary Taylor, who died thirty-three years ago, was unveiled at Louisville a few days ago.

Ellis Craft will be hung October 12th, and he wants the execution to be public so he can make a farewell speech to the crowd.

Mr. Walter P. Emerson has succeeded Col. C. E. Kincaid as Kentucky news editor of the Courier-Journal. He is one of the brightest young journalists in Louisville.

We are frequently asked who will be the Democratic nominee for the Presidency next year. It would not be wise or proper for us to tell at this time, and besides the papers want something to speculate about.

The smallest steam engine ever made is among the exhibits in the Southern Exposition. It stands on a gold dollar and can be covered with a thimble, and three drops of water furnishes the steam necessary to run it. It is valued at \$25,000 and is not for sale.

Lexington journalists should post their premises with "no hunting or shooting allowed" boards, as there are some people who don't seem to understand that the game law is still in force. An unknown man, armed with a shot gun, hunted the city last week for a reporter named W. A. Smith, but failed to find him.

Raw cotton from a field in Arkansas, five hundred miles away, was brought to the Louisville Exposition, last week, and made into a suit of clothes and presented by Gov. Knott to Gov. Berry, of Arkansas, within forty-eight hours from the time it was picked.

George Dittoe couldn't stand the gastronomic strain of the recent press banquet at Louisville, and went home sick. It is not often that a hungry editor is led up to a free trough, and when he is he never knows when he has enough unless some friend tells him where to draw the line.

Gov. B. F. Butler was unanimously re-nominated for Governor by the Massachusetts Democrats last week in convention assembled. As he has also been endorsed by the Greenbackers, there is but little doubt of his election, although he is opposed by Geo. D. Robinson, the strongest Republican in the State.

Mr. Thos. R. Woods, son of Dr. J. D. Woods, and local editor of the Bowling Green Semi-Weekly Gazette, died last Wednesday of typhoid fever. Mr. Woods was one of the brightest young men in the State, and gave promise of attaining distinction in his profession. He had just about reached his twenty-first year. Dr. Woods has the sympathies of his brethren of the press, for the loss of such a son is indeed a sore affliction.

Capt. Sheldon evacuated the Registrar's office on the 25th inst. after writing a card explaining his action. He says he wanted to force Cecil to proceed against him in order to expose the secret bargain made between them, and that as Jos. Norvel has brought a suit that will serve that purpose he no longer has a motive for retaining the office. Capt. Sheldon has been severely censured by the state press without a single exception, so far as we have seen. Cecil is still quite sick and unable to assume control of the office, but his deputies have taken charge of it.

The second annual fair of the Scott county Tobacco Association will be held at Georgetown, Ky., Saturday Dec. 1, 1883. \$425 in premiums will be awarded. For the benefit of the tobacco raisers of this county and section we publish the list of premiums.

CLASS A.
Best sample, 5 pounds, cutting leaf, white tobacco, raised in the United States, first premium by Fairbanks Scales Co., a Fairbanks Standard Scales, 3,500 lbs. capacity, double beam, extra finish, valued at \$150.00 Second premium (by Assoc'n) 75.00 Third premium (by Assoc'n) 25.00

CLASS B.
Best sample, 5 pounds white tobacco, cutting or filling leaf, raised in Kentucky, first premium by Boltman Leaf Tobacco Warehouse, Cincinnati, O. \$50.00 Second premium (by Assoc'n) 25.00 Third premium (by Assoc'n) 10.00

CLASS C.
Best sample, two and a half pounds, white tobacco, raised in Scott county, Ky., first premium, for cutting leaf, by Enterprise Leaf Tobacco Warehouse, Louisville, Ky. \$25.00 Second premium, for cutting leaf, by Association, 15.00 Third premium, for cutting leaf, by K. Stone, manufacturer, Georgetown, Ky., one box Maud S., 25.00

CLASS D.
First premium, for filling leaf, by Association, 25.00 Second premium, for filling leaf, by Association, 15.00 Third premium, for filling leaf, by Association, 10.00

Our thanks are due Mr. Frank M. Snaveley, the Secretary for a

The Muhlenburg Echo has established an "answers to correspondents" column which is an interesting feature of that newsy paper. In reply to a question, the editor states that Gov. Knott is the 24th Governor of Kentucky. This is a mistake. Gov. Knott's is the 24th gubernatorial term but he is the 27th Governor. Two Governors (Shelby and Garrard) served each two terms. Four Governors died in office and three resigned. Five Lieutenant Governors became Governors to fill vacancies and two of them were afterwards elected Governor, one of them, Gov. Leslie, being his own successor. Following are their names: Isaac Shelby, Jas. Garrard, Christopher Greenup, Charles Scott, Geo. Madison, Gabriel Slaughter, John Adair, Joseph Desha, Thos. Metcalf, Jno. Breathitt, Jas. T. Morehead, Jas. Clark, Chas. A. Wickliffe, Robt. P. Letcher, Wm. Owsley, Jno. J. Crittenden, Jno. L. Helm, Lazarus W. Powell, Chas. S. Morehead, Beriah Magoffin, Jas. F. Robinson, Thos. E. Bramlette, Jno. W. Stephenson, P. H. Leslie, Jas. B. McCreary, Luke P. Blackburn, J. Proctor Knott.

It is said that J. I. Case, the owner of the now famous Jay-eye-see, who tied the fastest trotting time on record a few days ago, was so elated when the result was announced that he ran into the grand stand and kissed his wife twice. If 2:10 1/2 would make him kiss his own wife what score would it take to make him kiss some other man's wife? Who will figure it out?

The Ohio election comes off next Tuesday. The Democrats have a fair chance to win, but have no very good reasons for claiming the victory. Local discussions in Cincinnati will weaken the state ticket very much, but may not injure it enough to cause a party defeat.

The talk of Ben Butler as a Democratic candidate for the Presidency is the sheerest nonsense. Ben is a recent convert and must "tarry a while in Jericho till his beard grows" before he attempts to run the party into which he has merely been taken on trial.

In 1880 there were 50 murders committed in Kentucky. In 1882 there were 93. Up to August 15, this year there were 109. This increase of crime is largely due to the abuse of the pardoning power and the wholesale releasing of criminals by the late Governor, Luke P. Blackburn.

Charlie Overshiner, of Los Angeles, California, who was for five years a compositor in the South Kentucky office, has our thanks for copies of California dailies.

The last issue of the State Sentinel came out printed on colored poster paper. Guess Cannon was determined to have at least one copy of his paper red.

KENTUCKY KNOWLEDGE.

The Elkton Register needs a proof-reader.

There are very few houses for rent in Glasgow.

The editor of the Glasgow Times is just up from a spell of fever.

Burglars robbed three houses in Sebree city one night last week.

Mr. R. P. Elliot is now assistant editor of the Henderson Sentinel.

There are 379 pupils in the white public schools of Bowling Green.

Reuben Adams, of Slaughter'sville, Webster county, was drowned while seining in Deer creek.

Henry Pruitt shot and killed Henry Holady near Henderson last week. They were brother-in-laws.

Jas. A. Benton, a clerk in the Opera Hotel, at Louisville, took his life by swallowing poison, last week.

Webster county is still overrun with horse thieves. Peter Overby had a fine mare stolen last week.

Aunt Francis Kersey, of Bowling Green, as housekeeper in the Executive Mansion.

Col. R. S. Strader, of Lexington, shot and killed a colored employee, named Foster, who was acting strangely about his stables.

The three prisoners in the Webster county jail made an unsuccessful attempt to escape last week by sawing out with a saw handed through the window to them. They were detected by the jailer when the work was half done.

Company A of the First Kentucky Confederate Cavalry hold a re-union to celebrate the twentieth anniversary of the battle of Chickamauga, in Daviess county last week. A special invitation was extended to ex-Federal soldiers.

F. J. Cheney & Co., proprietors of Hall's Catarrh Cure, offer \$100 reward for any case of Catarrh that can't be cured with Hall's Catarrh Cure. Sold by Gish & Garner.

The National Colored Convention at Louisville last week was a representative body and largely attended. Fred Douglass was made chairman and delivered an address. The Convention refused to endorse Arthur and the Republican party upon the grounds that it was not a political gathering and had met to act independently.

Gov. Knott has appointed Dr. R. C. Chennault, of Lexington, to succeed Dr. W. O. Bullock as Superintendent of the Eastern Kentucky Lunatic

METHODIST MINISTERS.

The Louisville Conference in this city last week.

The 38th annual session of the Louisville Conference of the M. E. Church South met at the Methodist church in this city Wednesday Sept. 20th with over one hundred members present. John J. Tigert was elected Secretary. The various committees were then appointed after which Dr. R. A. Young, of Nashville, addressed the Conference relative to the Centenary of Methodism which occurs next year. The Secretary then read some reports and the following list of superannuated ministers was called: W. Mann, W. F. Harwell, W. C. State, A. C. Dewitt, J. D. Barnett, Geo. W. Crumbaugh, A. A. Morrison, T. M. Penick, H. N. Hobbs, M. N. Lasley, Jas. M. Moore, Jas. Hamline, and Thos. Bottomley.

Morning afternoon and evening sessions were held throughout the week at which the routine business of the Conference was disposed of and reports of the various committees received, discussed and acted on.

When the question "who remain on trial?" was called the names of W. I. Birchett, C. Duvall, Schuyler G. Boyd, Daudridge F. Walton and Robt. J. Watts were called and continued on trial.

C. R. Crowe, Jas. F. Chandler, Jeremiah T. Cherry, Leonard M. Russell, Jesse P. Murrell, John E. King, Jas. F. Thrasher, and Wm. H. Howell were received on trial.

On Saturday the subject of denominational schools was discussed and reports received from the schools within the Conference.

A missionary meeting was held Saturday night and was addressed by Rev. D. C. Kelly, D. D., of Nashville, and a collection of \$250. was taken up.

The various pulpits of the city were filled by members of the Conference on Sunday.

On Monday the Conference proceeded to the examination of the elders. J. F. Redford, P. T. Hardison, R. F. Hayes, Jas. A. Lewis, J. C. Peirce, I. W. Emmerson, E. W. Bottomly, J. P. Goodson, J. D. Gillon, J. P. Hogard and Vol P. Thomas, were reported and their characters were passed.

R. B. McCown was reported as not having come to his work last year. He made a statement and retired and the Conference considered his case. A plea of ill health was made and his character was passed and the case referred to the proper committee. Dr. H. C. Morrison, W. C. Hayes, R. Y. Thomas, J. C. Brandon, E. E. Pate, W. T. Reid, J. L. Ewington, W. P. Alexander, S. L. Lovelace, D. L. Collier, V. Elgin, W. C. Brandon, G. F. Candiff, J. A. Love, E. R. Harrison, W. L. Corbin, L. B. Davidson, J. W. Bowen, and J. V. Guthrie reported and their characters were passed.

The statistical committee reported the following figures: No. of members 33,193; Infants baptized, 771; adults baptized 1470; Sunday schools, 268; S. S. teachers 172; S. S. scholars, 13,757; raised for superannuated preachers, \$2,072; raised for missions \$7,400. No. of ministers, 125. This covers the work of the Conference up to Monday at noon. The residue is chiefly committee reports. The appointments for the year will not be announced until to-day, after which the Conference will adjourn.

NORTH CHRISTIAN

A big Campbellite meeting was in full blast at Grissam's chapel last week.

The Picnic at White Plains, on the 22nd, was a sort of temperance affair. Mr. P. O. Martin, and Mr. John Apple are making brandy again this fall, and the boys have begun to sample the "old reliable."

Mr. Walter Clark who has been in Glasgow, for some time, has returned to his home in North Christian; and is, I understand, in very delicate health.

Gustavus Adolphus Henry Robinson, has taken the contract to build a new school house at Bluff Spring, and it will certainly be a good one; for a man with so much name, ought to be able to put up a magnificent building.

Mr. John W. Henderson the Fruit Hill tobacco man, informed me the other day, that he had bought several acres of this year's tobacco and had, in some instances, advanced money on them.

A lady has charge of the Wild Cat, academy this fall.

Mr. Abb. Grace, is teaching at Hetsley's school house. Mr. Milt Meacham is building a bridge across Pound river.

It went to mix brandy and whisky, and take it inwardly.

The railroad bridge about one mile this side of Springfield, Tenn., was burned last Wednesday. Two of the passenger trains on the road are at Nashville, and consequently the one train on this end has been acting as a transfer train for a week and the mails have been seriously interfered with. The bridge will not be rebuilt for several days yet.

OPERA HOUSE! To-Night!

The Southern Favorites,
J. H. HUNTLEY
—AND—
FLORENCE KENNEDY,

Huntley's Dramatic Company.
Splendid Operatic Music each evening, by Prof. Smith's Celebrated Orchestra.

H. A. WITHERSPOON,

Oak Hall, — LOUISVILLE.

A stock of Men's and Boys' Clothing unsurpassed in variety. Styles the very latest and prices the lowest.

Business Suits, Business Suits, Business Suits,

Dress Suits, Dress Suits, Dress Suits,

Overcoats, Overcoats, Overcoats.

Men's Furnishings.

H. A. Witherspoon, OAK HALL, ONE PRICE CLOTHING HOUSE, Corner Fourth and Jefferson, LOUISVILLE.

[Oct 2-2m]

Public Sale

—OF—

SHORTHORN CATTLE!

HORNSBY, DORSEY & WADDY will sell at Hopkinsville, Ky., Friday, Oct. 5th, 1883, 40 Head of Shorthorns, consisting of a select lot of Red Cows and Heifers, and a few Choice Young Bulls.

This stock has been selected in the Bluegrass section especially for the Southern Kentucky trade, and nothing but first-class individuals are included. All registered or eligible to registry. The stock will be on exhibition during the Fair, and the sale will take place on FRIDAY, OCT. 5th, 1883.

[Sep 11-4w]

CAMPBELL & DUCKNER,

FIRE

INSURANCE BROKERS

Representing \$54,630,000 Fire Assets.

Phoenix, of Hartford..... \$ 4,500 00
Northern, of London..... 11 000 00
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Insurance and reliable indemnity against Fire, Lightning, Cyclones, Tornadoes, Etc., issued at reasonable rates.

CALL AND SEE US.

Office over Bank of Hopkinsville.

[Sep 12-2m]

THE CHRISTIAN COUNTY

Agricultural

AND

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WILL HOLD ITS

ANNUAL FAIR

AT THEIR GROUNDS

Oct. 3, 4, 5 and 6, 1883.

Col. L. A. SYPERT, Pres't.

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ON THE 1st AND 2nd DAYS A

COMPETITIVE DRILL

Of Kentucky Companies (not less than three in number) will be held on the grounds for a purse of

\$500

offered by Hopkinsville Company D, and also a silver cup will be awarded the best drilled man.

Many other attractions will be found on the printed list, and the Company expects to make this a

Grand Occasion

for social reunion and enjoyment.

JNO. W. McPHERSON,

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THE GREAT NERVE CONQUEROR

The only known specific for Rheumatic Pains, Sciatic Pains, Spasms and Falling Sickness, Nervous Weakness, quick relief and cure. Equalled by nothing in delirium of fever. Kills Scrofula and Erysipelas, tritic headache. Cures ugly blotches and stubborn blood sores. Cleanses blood, quickens sluggish circulation. Eliminates Bile, Catarrhs and Scalds. Permanently and promptly cures paralysis. It is a charming and healthful Aperient. Kills Scrofula and Erysipelas, tritic headache. Changes bad blood to good, removing cause. Cures biliousness and clears complexion. Charms restlessness and ratchles irritative. Restores life giving properties to the blood. It is guaranteed to cure all nervous disorders. Reliable when all opiates fail. Refreshes the mind and invigorates the body. Cures dyspepsia or indigestion by routing it. Endorsed in writing by over fifty thousand leading physicians in U. S. and Europe. Leading clergymen in U. S. and Europe. Diseases of the blood own it a conqueror. For sale by all leading druggists. \$1.00 per bottle.

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SOCIALITIES.

Lieut. Gov. Hindman, of Columbia, attended conference last week.

Mrs. J. F. Dempsey, of Madisonville, was the guest of Mrs. J. M. Howe, last week.

Miss Lizzie Hall, of Lafayette was the guest of Mr. J. E. Jesup's family last week.

Miss Belle Sydney of Athensville is spending the week with the family of Mr. E. L. Foulks.

Mr. W. L. Blanton, of Clarksville has connected himself with Hancock & Fraser's warehouse in this city.

Mr. Jas. Burnett, of Cadiz, passed through the city last week on his way to Texas where he will seek his fortune.

Mr. L. W. Gaines, of the editorial staff of the Bowling Green Times, was in the city yesterday and paid us a pleasant call.

Prof. Dietrich and the young lady teachers of the Public School will leave for Louisville to-morrow to visit the Southern Exposition.

Mr. W. H. Marriott a young prominent lawyer of Elizabethtown, was the guest of the writer during the Conference last week.

Rev. A. C. Biddle, pastor of the Cumberland Presbyterian church went to Evansville Sunday to fill Rev. W. J. Darby's pulpit.

Miss Isaac Hart has returned from the East with a full line of millinery goods. Miss Alice Hays returned with her and will take charge of the millinery department again this season.

Miss Emma Campbell, who has been spending some time with her aunt, Mrs. E. Boyd Faulkner, left yesterday for her home in Hopkinsville, Ky. Miss Emma has made many friends in town who will deeply regret her departure.—Martinsburg Statesman.

Miss Emma Campbell, a charming and popular young lady, of Hopkinsville, Ky., who has been visiting Mrs. E. Boyd Faulkner, left for her Kentucky home on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. E. Boyd Faulkner accompanied her, and Miss May B. Faulkner, their daughter, will stay at Boydville during their absence.—Martinsburg Independent.

S. H. Barrett & Co.'s New United Monster Railroad Show.

The above-named United World's Fair of living wonders, including the most stupendous Menagerie, Caravan Museum and Circus ever organized, will mass its multitude of amusements marvels at Hopkinsville on Thursday Oct. 11th. Not only is it an entirely new, bright and brilliant, but also a massive, solid, honest railroad show, owning its own splendid outfit of cars, bringing savage Nature, in all the majestic illustrations of her living lessons, directly to your doors, and added thereto, a far greater and purer circus than you have ever seen. No such collection of rare wild beasts and birds has ever before been concentrated under canvas. Every continent has contributed to its completeness, as every equestrian organization of the great foreign capitals and every leading gymnastic school of the whole world has furnished representatives to complete the largest and most brilliantly artistic circus ever organized on this continent, and one in which each performer is a special star, and one and all simple incomparable, while worlds of humorous folly and a varied programme of astonishing animal acts complete an entertainment which is the very acme of arene achievement.

Very Low Rates.

During the continuance of the Southern Exposition, at Louisville Ky., (commencing August 1st, and continuing 100 days,) the Louisville & Nashville Railroad will sell Excursion Tickets from any of its stations to Louisville at one fare for the round trip. These Tickets will be on sale every day, from L. & N. stations and will be good 15 days, allowing ample time to visit the Greatest Exposition ever held in the South, and second only to the Centennial at Philadelphia.

September Weddings.

Larkin Barnes to Miss Dora Spurlin.
 T. B. Burdette to Mrs. Leona Armstrong.
 H. B. Rives to Miss Ellen G. Laidie.
 M. T. Spurlin to Miss Ella Belle Woolley.
 Jas. Russell to Miss Margaret E. Cooper.
 Jno. Kelly to Miss Louisa J. Cox.
 Jas. A. Hardin to Miss Sarah J. Reese.
 Total.

COLORED.

Jas. King to Margaret Alexander.
 G. W. Garrett to Emma E. Williams.
 Geo. Holland to Kate Fleming.
 Burr Irvin to Louisa Campbell.
 Wyatt Edmunds to Lulu Wardell.
 Derry McCallan to Sallie Gillum.
 Wm. Bruce to Julia M. Campbell.
 Henry J. Johnson to Maria East.
 Total.
 Combined total.

HERE AND THERE.

W. F. Patton, Life Insurance. Admission to the Fair is only 25 cents.

For cheap and tasty job printing come to the South Kentuckian office. 25 per cent saved to those who may want a Buggy now. Call at factory. McCAMY, BONTE & CO.

Circuit Court adjourned Saturday, and Judge Grace and Mr. Garnett have gone to Madisonville this week.

Mr. D. H. Merritt has begun work on a new cottage residence on Main street, next to Mr. A. W. Pyle's new house.

We will furnish the South Kentuckian, a ticket in our drawing and a ticket to the Fair for \$1.75.

All the Israelites of Hopkinsville will have their stores closed Thursday Oct. 11th, it being one of their holidays.

Gen. John S. Williams will deliver an address at the Fair next Friday. Gen. Williams is now a United States Senator, and a candidate for re-election.

Any one wanting a first-class Buggy, Rockaway or Barouche, now is your time, also a few good second hand vehicles at cost.

McCAMY, BONTE & CO. The South Kentuckian job office printed 20,000 theatre programmes in one lot last week. We have the most complete job office in Southern Kentucky, and propose to do work as cheap as it can be done in the cities. We have had to double our job force within the last month, and the rush still continues.

Mr. John Kelly, of this city, and Miss Louisa Cox, a daughter of Mr. Fountain Cox, of this county, were married at the residence of Rev. J. T. Barrow, in this city, last Tuesday night and left the following morning for Texas. The marriage was in the nature of an elopement, though the young lady was probably old enough to act for herself or they could not have obtained license in the state without the consent of her father.

Mr. W. H. Nolan, of Sinking Fork has, we understand, purchased the property now used by the post office, on Bridge street and will take possession Jan. 1st. This will necessitate the removal of the post office, and it is to be hoped that a more eligible location will be selected. The office should be either on Main or Nashville street, as these are the principle business streets.

Miss Belle Peterson, a charming and highly attractive young lady of Louisville, and the author of several popular novels, is in the city in the interest of her latest book, a handsome bound volume entitled "A Beautiful Bird Without a Name, or a True Kentucky Girl." She is also a poetess of no small merit, and has written several very sweet songs which she has set to music and had published. Miss Peterson is one of the most winning and fascinating conversers we have ever met, and so different from professional book agents than she is, meeting with unusual success in introducing her pleasing and entertaining work. It is a thrilling romance and the scenes are laid in Louisville Ky. The fair authors will remain in the city for several days and we confidently expect our people will patronize her to her entire satisfaction.

Mr. Otto Graves, of the firm of Graves & Hancock, has sold his interest in the warehouse business to Mr. W. I. Fraser, better known as Tris Fraser, a popular and enterprising young gentleman of Lafayette, and the firm name will in the future be Hancock & Fraser. Mr. Fraser will command a wide influence in South Christian and add much to the popularity of the firm. Mr. Hancock, the senior member, has had 14 years of experience in the tobacco business, four years of which were spent in New York city. He is a thorough tobacco man, a good judge of the "weed," and a wide-awake, active and energetic business man. With only one year's experience here his firm has distanced some of the older houses in the number of hogheads received. The new firm has leased the People's Warehouse for a term of years and will be pleased to receive the patronage of the public. See their card elsewhere.

One and one-half bottles of Ely's Cream Balm, entirely cured me of Hay Fever of ten years standing. Have had no trace of it for two years. ALBERT A. PERRY, Smithboro, N. Y.

MARRIED.

OWSLEY-FOX: At the residence of the bride's father, Mr. S. T. Fox, in this city, Wednesday, Sept. 19th 1883, by Rev. T. G. Keen, D. D. Mr. Robt. P. Owsley to Miss Fannie May Fox.

The ceremony was performed at 4 o'clock P. M. and immediately thereafter the bridal couple left for the home of the groom near Beverley. Mr. Owsley is a well-to-do young planter who enjoys the respect and esteem of all who know him and he is to be congratulated upon his good fortune in securing one of Hopkinsville's most intellectual and accomplished belles.

"Oh take her, but be faithful still, And may the bridal vow Be warmly breathed and sacred held, In after years as now. Remember 'tis no common tie That binds this manly heart— The one that only truth can weave, And only death can part."

The Georgia Legislature will visit the Louisville Exposition in a body to-morrow.

SHOWS.

"SHIEL AGAR."

One of the funniest and most meritorious comedy-dramas that we have seen for some time was presented at the Opera House the 26th ult by Dan and Jossie Morris Sullivan and their company "Shiel Agar;" the play is an Irish comedy and the plot is unusual, interesting and exciting. It was well rendered and taken all in all the performance was one of the best ever given in the Opera House. The audience was not large, but the entertainment deserved a jammed house.

"DEWDROP."

Miss Lizzie Evans, supported by an excellent dramatic company presented the popular new drama "Dewdrop" at the Opera House last Thursday evening the 27th ult. Miss Evans is one of the cutest, prettiest and most charming little soubrette actresses on the stage and her audience was fairly charmed with her rendition of "Dewdrop." The play was very good, the support fair and the special scenery unusually handsome. We hope she will visit us again in the future.

A Harlem girl who had been to hear Nilson was asked how she liked her repertoire. "Very much indeed I think it fits her beautifully," was the reply.

DIED.

YOUNG:—At his residence in Clarksville, Tenn., Tuesday Sept. 27, 1883, Mr. P. J. Young, in the 64th year of his age. Mr. Young was born in Bowling Green, Ky., and removed to Clarksville in 1836 where he lived for some years afterwards going to Cadiz, Ky., where he remained for a number of years but subsequently returned to Clarksville. He has a son, Mr. R. L. Young, who still resides in Cadiz. Mr. Young was an honest, upright man and a useful citizen whose death was a loss to the community in which he lived. His family will return to Cadiz to live.

CRUMPLER:—At the residence of Mr. R. H. McCaughey, near Newstead, Thursday, Sept. 27, 1883, Mrs. M. J. Crumpler.

WADLINGTON:—At the residence of his parents, near Caledonia Ky., Thursday, Sept. 27, 1883, an infant child of Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Wadlington, about two or three years of age.

LAFAYETTE.

EDITOR SOUTH KENTUCKIAN:

The matrimonial plague has again made its appearance in this community and the first victim of the season was Mr. Lee Hester, who was married on the 22nd ult. to Miss Georgia Murphy, from near Dover, Tenn. This marriage was rather out of the ordinary line of such occurrences; there was a little romance attached to it, as objection, on account of the young lady's youth, made an elopement necessary. About 9 o'clock Saturday night the young lady, valise in hand, quietly stole away from home, to meet her lover who was in waiting a short distance off. Her absence was soon discovered and angry brothers started in pursuit of the fleeing couple, but it was too late as the happy pair succeeded in reaching the house of a clergyman who quickly tied the knot which was to bind them for life. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Hester came to the home of the groom near Lafayette, where an elegant supper was given them, to which a number of friends were invited. Camille extends to this joyous couple, his warmest congratulations and hopes that their married life, though begun amid difficulties, may be happy throughout.

On last Sunday night Rev. J. W. Bingham preached his farewell sermon to his congregation at Lafayette. Mr. Bingham has been with us three years therefore Conference will assign him a new field of labor for another year.

May his lot be cast in a pleasant place and may he live long to preach that glorious gospel which he so delightfully and eloquently expounded while with us. The kind wishes of this community go with him through life.

Mr. W. I. Fraser, familiarly known as "Tris Fraser," having bought Mr. Otto Graves, interest in the People's Tobacco Warehouse of Hopkinsville, will, in a few months more there to live. Mr. Fraser was raised in Lafayette and has during his entire life, lived here and very many warm friends sorely regret to see him leave. May his residence in Hopkinsville be both pleasant and profitable.

A little son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Gafford, of this place, recently died. The sorrowing parents have the heartfelt sympathy of this community in their affliction.

Mr. Carother's new house has been completed and he will move into it in a few days.

This is one of the handsomest residences in South Christian, and Mr. Carother is to be envied in the possession of such a beautiful home.

There has recently been a great deal of sickness in this neighborhood, but only a few cases have resulted fatally.

CAMILLE.

I have used Ely's Cream Balm for Hay Fever, and experienced great relief. I most cordially recommend it as the best of all the many remedies I have tried.—T. B. JENKS, Lawyer, Grand Rapids, Mich. Price fifty cents.

The Secretary of the Fair Company desires us to say that the premiums and accounts will not be payable until Oct. 10th.

The South Kentuckian will be issued daily during the Fair as an afternoon paper.

There are 595 pupils enrolled in the Hopkinsville Public Schools and this is an increase of 67 for the same time last year. There must very soon be more school rooms and more teachers or fewer children. The growth of the schools has been remarkable and there is no prospect of the growth ceasing unless the town should cease growing. The time of opening for the Public schools at present is 8:30 A. M. but on and after Oct. 8th it will be changed to 9 o'clock A. M. Except for the rooms of Mrs. McKenzie and Mrs. Bramham. These two rooms will continue on the present plan of opening at 8:30 A. M. Persons desiring to visit the schools will bear in mind that Wednesday is the day set apart for that purpose.

Mr. A. Blodson, of Lawrenceburg, Ky., is in the city introducing Tinsley's matchless historical, county, railroad, distance and index map of the United States, and illustrated map of the World. His headquarters in this section will be at Elkton. His maps are \$4 each, with reduced club rates. He can be addressed at Elkton or Lawrenceburg, Ky.

J. H. Huntley's Dramatic Company every night this week, with a change of programme each night.

Miss Mary Kilroy, of Earlinton, is visiting Mrs. Jno. Dinneen.

Circuit Court.

FOURTH WEEK.

Last week was a very dull court week, the cases with two exceptions, being of interest only to those concerned. In the case of Gant Bros. vs. Bruffin an old complicated settlement suit, the Gants got judgment for \$1800. In the case of Harned vs. Layne, a damage suit on account of a mill dam erected by Harned, Layne got judgment for \$150. Harned moved for a new trial but the motion was overruled. Harned took an appeal.

Wm. Hamell, convicted of horse stealing and sentenced to two years in the penitentiary, was granted a new trial and released on his own recognizance in the sum of \$300. He was the only prisoner convicted and consequently no convicts will be sent to Frankfort this term.

Resolutions passed by Church Hill Grange.

Again the shadow of death has passed through our Grange and taken from our midst our beloved Bro. W. H. Rives, Jr. who died on Sept. 6th 1883 leaving a devoted wife and three little children to drink the bitter cup.

Thinking to improve his health he removed West with his family a few months ago; unimproved he soon returned to die among those who loved him and knew him best.

Resolved by Church Hill Grange that we cherish his memory, emulate his virtues and give our sympathy to his bereaved loved ones.

Resolved that these Resolutions be spread on the minutes of the Grange and that the South Kentuckian publish them and a copy be sent to the family of the deceased.

F. M. Pierce, R. H. McCaughey } Com.
 M. B. King.

MACEDONIA.

Flux has become an epidemic. Father Hubbard's pants have made their advent into this neck of woods.

Mr. John Collins, Sr., is reported very ill, said to be some form of fever.

Mrs. D. E. Fowler has been very low with flux but is convalescing.

Messrs. Fowler & Thompson sold their lumber yard at public auction last Saturday.

Mrs. John W. Collins is conducting a very interesting school at this place.

Mr. Jno. W. McCarrell killed a rattlesnake a few days ago that had 10 rattles and a button.

Mr. J. W. Murphy, of the firm of White & Murphy, of this place took in the Exposition at Louisville last week, he bought a fine stock of goods for the firm while in the city.

Our Sunday school at this place closed on account of so much sickness on last Sunday. Owing to so much sickness it was not what it might have been under other circumstances.

ROUGH AND READY.

SPECIAL LOCALS.

Go to Isaac Hart's for any and everything you may desire in the Dry Goods and Clothing line. He has a new and superb stock, and invites the people to call and examine his goods and ascertain his prices.

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Ever offered in this market, can be found at James Pye & Co's, Opera Building, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Durkee's Salad Dressing at McKee & Pool's.

SPECIAL LOCALS.

For Ladies Especially!

The ladies of this city and county should bear in mind that the choicest line of MILLINERY GOODS can be found at Isaac Hart's. He is now in his new store on the Eastside of Main street, and is prepared to accommodate THE LADIES in any style desired. Miss Hays, an experienced lady in the millinery business, together with Mrs. Hart will have control of this department and will take pleasure in waiting on their friends and customers.

Fresh Arrival. N. O. Molasses at McKee & Pool's.

Country Hams and Dried Beef at McKee & Pool's.

Just received 10,000 cigars, the Bull of the Woods, the best cigars on the market, at W. W. Radford's.

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Don't miss the opportunity of securing some of the great Bargains that we will offer Fair week. Everything in the Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, & furnishing Goods line will be sold at remarkably low prices. Call early before the rush.

M. Frankel & Sons.

We hope the weather will be fair during Fair week, so that the fair people can come to town to get some of the fair bargains that the fairest firm in town are offering.

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Our establishment will be closed from Wednesday night, Oct. 10th, until Thursday night, Oct. 11th, on account of Holiday. Anyone contemplating coming to town on that day should postpone their visit until the next day or two and we will make it pay you to wait and see our stock and prices.

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Go to Isaac Hart's and ask for the John Day Suit, the cheapest Suit of Clothes in the market. Only \$3.00.

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A nice line of Fruits of all kinds can be found at Wilson and Galbreath's during the Fair.

Go to J. R. Armistead's for Fresh Drugs, Toilet Articles, Soaps, Brushes, Combs, Etc. His stock is large and prices low.

You can find a larger assortment of Bananas, Apples, Pears, Peaches, Grapes, Oranges, etc., at W. W. Radford's than anywhere else in the city.

The Lovers of good cigars should not fail to drop in at Wilson & Galbreath's, and buy some of their fine Key West cigars for 5 cents, during the Fair.

Fresh Oysters
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Received daily and served in any style day or night.

European Hotel.

E. A. PIKE prop.

We will be closed on circus day. Our friends should wait before making purchases, as we have bargains in store for them.

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Fresh Oysters served in any style, at all hours, at W. W. Radford's.

REMOVAL!

Dabney & Bush have moved their Shoe store to the new Thompson building next door to Bank of Hopkinsville.

The nicest line of Cakes and Candies in the city can be found at Wilson & Galbreath's.

Smoke Davy Crockett cigars at Wilson & Galbreath's.

Large lot of a special brand of fine Cigars at E. A. PIKE'S.

CLOTHING!

A complete new and elegant stock of Men's Boys' and Children's Clothing up stairs over Dabney & Bush's shoe store under the management of Mr. R. L. Boulware.

DABNEY & BUSH.

Toys of all kinds at cost, at WILSON & GALBREATH'S.

Fresh Oysters in cans direct from Baltimore, at WILSON & GALBREATH'S.

Nice line of Pipes and Cigarette Holders at WILSON & GALBREATH'S.

The books for Subscription of stock in the 4th series of the Building and Loan Association are now opened. Subscription to be made at the office of the Treasurer, Thos. W. Long, First call to be made Oct. 1, 1883.

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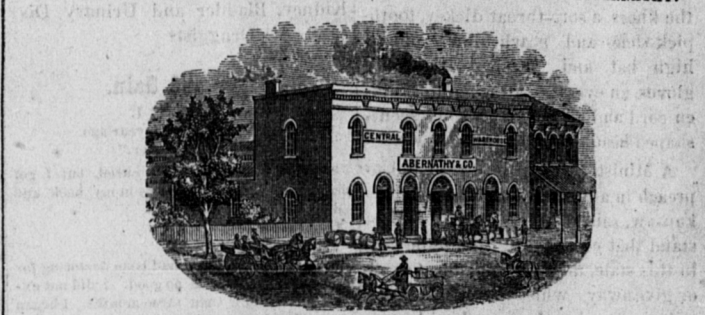
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